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1. Since the court has refused to recognize the request of the Central Directorate of the Partido Libertador (PL) to suspend the charter of that Party's Communist-ridden directorate for the State of Rio de Janeiro, PL leaders are studying other means of outlawing the latter directorate and replacing it by a more acceptable one.
2. Although the Communist candidates cannot now be prevented from running for office under the banner of the PL, it may become possible to disband the Rio Directorate temporarily by inducing non-Communist members to withdraw from it quietly, leaving only the four Communist members. As the law requires a minimum of five persons on the state directorate of a political party, the State of Rio organization would then automatically cease to function. No definite steps have been taken as yet by the PL to implement this plan.

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